

# *Executive Proclamation*

## *State of South Dakota*

### *Office of the Governor*

*Whereas*, Roger Squires returned from Vietnam and military service to his country from 1968 to 1970, to what began as a 40-year career with H-D Electric at Clear Lake, South Dakota, initially working as a linesman and advancing to the position of operations manager; and,

*Whereas*, Roger has been instrumental in helping H-D Electric Cooperative grow, and he has gained the trust of their patrons through his use of good judgment and dedication to service; and,

*Whereas*, Roger has also served his community well through the giving of his time and talents to the Hamlin County Lion's Club, Hayti Legion Post #217, El Riad Shriners, Hayti Lutheran Church, and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 750, and served as chief of the Hayti Fire Department and past president of the Hayti Lutheran Church, Hamlin Booster Club, and Hayti Community Club; and,

*Whereas*, Roger plans to retire on April 9, 2010, allowing more time to fish, hunt, and golf, and he and his wife, Helen, will also be able to spend more time with their two children and their families, which include five grandsons; and,

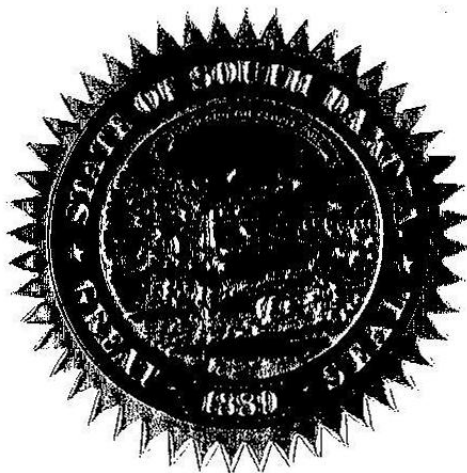
*Whereas*, It is fitting and proper as governor to recognize and congratulate Roger for his dedication to a job well done:

*Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds*, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 9, 2010, as

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in South Dakota, and I join his colleagues, family, and friends in wishing him a long, healthy, peaceful, and enjoyable retirement.

*In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-sixth Day of March in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Ten.



*M. Michael Rounds*  
M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

*Chris Nelson*  
Chris Nelson, Secretary of State